

When appropriation acts become effective.

Appropriation laws, or laws having appropriation items, *enacted finally at a regular session of the General Assembly*, shall be in full force and effect from and after the first day of June next following their final enactment, unless a different date is specified in the act itself, or unless any such appropriation law or law having an appropriation item is enacted finally after the first day of June in any year, in which case it shall be in full force and effect immediately upon final enactment.

When acts, enacted at special session, become effective.

*All laws, enacted finally at a special or extraordinary session of the General Assembly, shall be in full force and effect immediately upon final enactment, unless a different date is specified in the act itself.*

"Final enactment" or "enacted finally," defined.

The words "final enactment" or "enacted finally" as used in this act shall be construed to mean the time when the procedure required by the Constitution for the enactment of a bill into a law has been complied with.

Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED—The 10th day of June, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 128

AN ACT

To amend section fifteen of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act affecting marital relations; prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," further regulating the jurisdiction of the courts in divorce actions.

Section 15, act of May 2, 1929 (P. L. 1237), amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section fifteen of the act, approved the second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, one thousand two hundred thirty-seven), entitled "An act affecting marital relations; prescribing grounds and regulating proceedings for divorce and the annulment of bigamous marriages; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 15. Jurisdiction.—The several courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth shall have original jurisdiction of cases of divorce from the bonds of matrimony, from bed and board, and in the annulment of marriages under the provisions of this act. The said courts shall have power to grant divorces, and to annul marriages, notwithstanding the fact that the marriage of the parties and the cause for divorce occurred outside of this Commonwealth, and that both parties were at the

time of the occurrence of said cause domiciled without this Commonwealth, and that the respondent has been served with the subpoena only by publication, as provided by this act.

All petitions or libels for divorce shall be exhibited to the court of the county where [the libellant resides, except where the husband and wife shall be resident in different counties of this Commonwealth, and, while so resident, a cause of divorce shall arise, in which cases the libellant may, at his or her option, institute and prosecute proceedings either in the county of his or her own residence or in the county wherein the respondent shall be resident and the cause for divorce shall have arisen] *either libellant or respondent resides.*

Where libels for divorce shall be presented.

Petitions or libels for the annulment of [bigamous] *void or voidable* marriages may be exhibited to the court of common pleas of the county where the marriage was contracted, or in the county where either the libellant or respondent resides, and, in such cases, residence of the libellant within the county or State, for any period shall not be required.

Where libels for annulments shall be presented.

APPROVED—The 10th day of June, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

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No. 129

AN ACT

Relating to judgments by agreement.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That whenever any parties to an action or proceeding at law shall have agreed to the entry of a particular judgment therein, any judge of the court, in which such action or proceeding is pending, may enter such judgment directly without the verdict of a jury, with the same force and effect as if such judgment were upon a verdict.

Judgments by agreement.

Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately upon its approval by the Governor.

When effective.

APPROVED—The 10th day of June, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

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No. 130

AN ACT

To amend section two thousand five hundred and ten of the act, approved the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, three hundred nine), entitled "An act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be